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STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF SECURITIES

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(Print or Type Responses)

1(b).

1. Name and Address of Reporting Person * EVANS BRIAN			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol GEO GROUP INC [GEO]	5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
(Last)	(First)	(Middle)	3. Date of Earliest Transaction	(Check all applicable)		
ONE PARK PLACE, SUITE 700, 621 NW 53RD STREET			(Month/Day/Year) 12/31/2012	Director 10% Owner X Officer (give title Other (specification) below) SVP, Chief Financial Officer		
	(Street)		4. If Amendment, Date Original Filed(Month/Day/Year)	6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check Applicable Line) _X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person		
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(City)	(State) (2	Table	I - Non-De	erivative S	Securi	ties Acqu	iired, Disposed of	, or Beneficiall	y Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	2A. Deemed	3.	4. Securi	ties A	cquired	5. Amount of	6.	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)	Execution Date, if	Transactio	n(A) or Di	ispose	d of (D)	Securities	Ownership	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any	Code	(Instr. 3,	4 and	5)	Beneficially	Form: Direct	Beneficial
		(Month/Day/Year)	(Instr. 8)				Owned	(D) or	Ownership
							Following	Indirect (I)	(Instr. 4)
					(A)		Reported	(Instr. 4)	
					or		Transaction(s)		
			Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common				2,736	(2)	\$			
	12/31/2012		S	(1)	D	29.12	0	D	
Stock				(1)		29.12			
Restricted							(2)		
Stock							$40,128 \frac{(2)}{2}$	D	
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Reminder: Report on a separate line for each class of securities beneficially owned directly or indirectly.

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Table II - Derivative Securities Acquired, Disposed of, or Beneficially Owned (e.g., puts, calls, warrants, options, convertible securities)

1. Title of Derivative Security (Instr. 3)	2. Conversion or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)	3A. Deemed Execution Date, if any (Month/Day/Year)	4. Transactio Code (Instr. 8)	5. onNumber of Derivative Securities Acquired (A) or Disposed of (D) (Instr. 3, 4, and 5)			7. Title and Amount of Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4)		8. Prio Deriv Secur (Instr.
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title	Amount or Number of Shares	
Stock Option	\$ 21.07					10/28/2009	10/28/2019	Common Stock	2,000	
Stock Option	\$ 24.61					03/01/2011	03/01/2021	Common Stock	6,000	

Reporting Owners

Reporting Owner Name / Address Relationships

Director 10% Owner Officer Other

EVANS BRIAN ONE PARK PLACE, SUITE 700 621 NW 53RD STREET BOCA RATON, FL 33487

SVP, Chief Financial Officer

Signatures

John J. Bulfin, as Attorney-In-Fact for Brian R. Evans

01/03/2013

**Signature of Reporting Person

Date

Explanation of Responses:

- * If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- ** Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).

These shares were sold by the reporting person to The GEO Group, Inc. ("GEO") under GEO's stock repurchase program at the closing price of GEO's common stock on December 12, 2012, the record date for GEO's special dividend described in footnote (2) below. The sale was approved by GEO's Audit and Finance Committee. The reporting person used all or a portion of the proceeds from the sale of the

- (1) securities to finance the reporting person's equity participation in GEO Care Holdings LLC, an entity formed by members of GEO and GEO Care, Inc.'s management teams (the "MBO Group"), in connection with the previously announced acquisition by the MBO Group of certain health care facility management contracts (the "GEO Care Business") from GEO. The sale of the GEO Care Business closed on December 31, 2012.
- On December 6, 2012, the Board of Directors of GEO declared a special dividend of \$5.68 per share of common stock, representing approximately \$350 million of accumulated earnings and profits, which was paid on December 31, 2012 to shareholders of record as of December 12, 2012. As a result, the reporting person received 5,294 shares of GEO common stock pursuant to the special dividend.

Reporting Owners 2

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